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THURSDAY, APRIL 13, 1882.

FIVE DOLLARS
PER QUARTER.

Insurances.

LE CERCLE-TRANSPORTS.

SOCIÉTÉ ANONYME D'ASSURANCE
MARITIME MARSEILLE.

CAPITAL SUBSCRIBED 15,000,000 Francs.
CAPITAL PAID-UP 3,750,000 Francs.

The Undersigned, having been appointed
AGENTS of the above Company, are prepared to
GRANT POLICIES on MARINE RISKS to all
parts of the World.

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.
Hongkong, 15th June, 1881. [4]

THE CITY OF LONDON FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

CAPITAL £2,000,000; PAID-UP £200,000
PAID UP RESERVE FUND £50,000.

The Undersigned, having been appointed
Agents for the above Company, are prepared to
ACCEPT RISKS against FIRE at Current Rates.

GEO. R. STEVENS & Co.
Hongkong, 14th March, 1882. [165]

THE SOUTH BRITISH FIRE AND MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY OF NEW ZEALAND.

CAPITAL, £1,000,000 (One Million Sterling).
UNLIMITED LIABILITY OF SHAREHOLDERS.

The Undersigned, having been appointed
Agents for the above Company, are prepared to
ACCEPT FIRE and MARINE RISKS at Current
Rates, allowing usual discounts.

GEO. R. STEVENS & Co.
Hongkong, 14th March, 1882. [164]

YANGTSE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION.

CAPITAL (Fully Paid-up) Tls. 420,000.00
PERMANENT RESERVE Tls. 230,000.00
SPECIAL RESERVE FUND Tls. 288,936.17

TOTAL CAPITAL and
ACCUMULATIONS, 2nd
April, 1881, Tls. 938,936.17

DIRECTORS.
F. B. FORBES, Esq., Chairman.
M. W. BOYD, Esq., Wm. MEYERINK, Esq.,
J. H. PINKVOSS, Esq., F. D. HITCH, Esq.

HEAD OFFICE—SHANGHAI.
Messrs. RUSSELL & Co., secretaries.

LONDON BRANCH.
Messrs. BARKING BROTHERS & Co.
Bankers.

RICHARD BLACKWELL, Esq., Agent.
68 and 69, Cornhill, E.C.

POLICES granted on MARINE RISKS to all
parts of the World.

Subject to a charge of 12 per cent. for Interest
on shareholders' Capital, all the PROFITS of the
UNDERWRITING BUSINESS are annually distributed
among all Contributors of Business in
proportion to the premium paid by them.

RUSSELL & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, 23rd January, 1882. [53]

NOTICE.

THE MAN ON INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

(CAPITAL SUBSCRIBED \$1,000,000.)

The above Company is prepared to accept
MARINE RISKS at CURRENT RATES on GOODS,
&c. Policies granted to all Parts of the world
payable at any of its Agencies.

WOO LIN YUEN,
Secretary.

HEAD OFFICE,
No. 2, QUEEN'S ROAD WEST.
Hongkong, 1st February, 1882. [81]

To be Let.

TO LET.

OFFICES in No. 13, QUEEN'S ROAD
CENTRAL. Also,
No. 4, SEYMOUR TERRACE.
No. 9, SEYMOUR TERRACE.
Apply to
DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.,
Hongkong, 25th March, 1882. [74]

TO BE LET,
FROM THE 1st APRIL, 1882,
THAT LARGE and COMMODIOUS HOUSE,
No. 8, ARBUTHNOT ROAD, at present in
the occupation of Mr. J. D. HUTCHISON.
Apply to
J. A. CARVALHO,
Hongkong, 9th March, 1882. [147]

Intimations.

THE Undersigned have been appointed
AGENTS to the NEW YORK BOARD
of UNDERWRITERS.

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.
Hongkong, 15th June, 1881. [6]

J. AND R. TENNENT'S ALE AND PORTER.

DAVID CORSAIR & SONS'
MERCHANT NAVY
NAVY BOILED
LONG FLAX
CROWN
CANVAS.
ARNOLD, KARBERG & Co.
Hongkong, 15th June, 1881. [5]

RECORD OF AMERICAN and FOREIGN SHIPPING.

Agents,
ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.
Hongkong, 15th June, 1881. [3]

HONGKONG TIMBER YARD, WANCHAI.

OREGON PINE SPARS and LUMBER
ALWAYS ON HAND.
L. MALLORY,
Proprietor.
Hongkong, 24th June, 1881. [11]

For Sale.

H. FOURNIER & CO.

HAVE FOR SALE, JUST RECEIVED, EX
FRENCH MAIL STEAMER

A SPLENDID ASSORTMENT OF
FANCY GOODS.

H. FOURNIER and COMPANY
HAVE JUST RECEIVED

FANCY PLAYING CARDS.

CRACKERS, BONBONS (Assorted),
CHOCOLATE CREAM.

CHOCOLATE MENIER.

H. FOURNIER & Co.,
Corner of D'Aguilar and Wellington-streets.

H. FOURNIER and COMPANY
HAVE JUST RECEIVED

FIGS, MALAGA RAISINS.

TABLE PLUMS.

FRUITS IN JUICE (Assorted).

CONFITURES DE ST. JAMES
(in Bottles and Tins).

SYRUPS (Assorted).

HUNTLEY and PALMER'S BISCUITS,
ALMONDS and NUTS.

VANILLA, PATE DE FOIE GRAS.

H. FOURNIER & Co.,
Corner of D'Aguilar and Wellington-streets.

H. FOURNIER and COMPANY
HAVE JUST RECEIVED

NOIX DE VEAU TRUFFEE (in Tins).

COTELETTE DE VEAU (in Tins).

VEAU ROTI, RIS DE VEAU (in Tins).

FRICANDEAU (Assorted), TRUFFES.

VEGETABLES (in Oil), CAVIAR.

SARDINES in Lemon Juice.

SARDINES in Tomatoes.

SARDINES in Oil.

H. FOURNIER & Co.,
Corner of D'Aguilar and Wellington-streets.

H. FOURNIER and COMPANY
HAVE JUST RECEIVED

FRENCH and ENGLISH MUSTARD.

SAUSAGES (Assorted).

LYONS SAUSAGES.

FRENCH and SPANISH OLIVES.

FRENCH ISIGNY BUTTER (in 1 and
2 lbs. Tins).

MACCARONI (Assorted) Paste for
Soups, Letters, stars, &c. TAPIOCA.

FINE-GROUND MOCHA COFFEE.

H. FOURNIER and COMPANY
HAVE JUST RECEIVED

AN ASSORTMENT OF CHEESE.

GRUYERE, ROQUEFORT.

DUTCH, CALIFORNIA, CREAM.

H. FOURNIER & Co.,
Corner of D'Aguilar and Wellington-streets.

H. FOURNIER and COMPANY
HAVE JUST RECEIVED

FRENCH TOBACCO AND
CIGARETTES.

ASSORTED PERFUMERY
FROM PINAUD and PIVERT of PARIS.

A large quantity of
FRENCH MINERAL WATERS
in Pints of 100 bottles per Case.

CORK STOPPERS,
for Soda and other Bottles.

H. FOURNIER and COMPANY
HAVE JUST RECEIVED

AN ASSORTMENT OF CLARETS
in Bottles and Wood.

CHATEAU LAFFITTE.

CHATEAU MARGAUX.

ST. EMILION, MEDOC.

H. FOURNIER & Co.,
Corner of D'Aguilar and Wellington-streets.

H. FOURNIER and COMPANY
HAVE JUST RECEIVED

AN ASSORTMENT OF WINES.

SAUTERNE, PORTO, SHERRY.

MARSALA.

H. FOURNIER & Co.,
Corner of D'Aguilar and Wellington-streets.

H. FOURNIER and COMPANY
HAVE JUST RECEIVED

A SHIPMENT OF BRANDY.

FRENCH COGNAC and ABSINTHE.

H. FOURNIER & Co.,
Corner of D'Aguilar and Wellington-streets.

H. FOURNIER and COMPANY
HAVE JUST RECEIVED

AN ASSORTMENT OF LIQUEURS.

CHARTREUSE (Pints and Quarts).

BENEDICTINE (Pints and Quarts).

MARASCHINO, CURACAO.

ANISSETTE (Marie Brigard).

ANGOSTURA BITTERS.

BOKER'S BITTERS.

Intimations.

KELLY & WALSH'S LIST OF NEW MUSIC.

NEW DANCE MUSIC.

A Ton Bras Polka T. Riefler.
Light of Love Waltz A. G. Crowe.
Scotch Beauties Waltz A. G. Crowe.
Princess Toto Galop R. Herzen.
Princess Toto Waltz R. Herzen.
Princess Toto Quadrille Chas. Godfrey.
Day and Night Quadrilles W. Williams.
Bonnie Chance Polka C. Godfrey.

COMIC SONGS.

Blow me up an apple tree T. W. Barrett.
We are a merry family T. W. Barrett.
Oh Lor, Oh Dear E. Foreman.

NEW SONGS.

London Bridge Molloy.
The Curfew Bell Molloy.
Told in the Twilight J. L. Molloy.
The Birds and the Cross J. L. Molloy.
Shadows of the Past C. Marriot.
Over the Garden Wall G. D. Fox.

SAFLE & CO'S SHOWROOMS.

SAYLE & CO.

ARE NOW SHOWING NEW SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS.

EX "FLEURS CASTLE."
A splendid assortment of French and English
Pompadour Prints and Satens.

New Patterns in French Porcelains.

Specialities in Damasses and Black Grenadines.

Nun's Beiges and Veilings.

Silk, Lisle Thread, & Cotton Hosiery in all sizes.

Irish Linens and Diapers.

New Millinery.

A choice selection of Flowers.

Sewing Machine by the leading manufacturers.

N.B.—A few REMNANTS and TOYS left over from the Sale still on offer at greatly
REDUCED PRICES.

VICTORIA EXCHANGE, HONGKONG.

EÇA DA SILVA & CO.

HAVE JUST LANDED.

EX FRENCH MAIL STEAMER "SAGALIE."

A GREAT VARIETY AND FINE ASSORTMENT OF SUMMER GOODS,
COMPRISING—

Ladies Richly Trimmed Pongee Silk Costumes, Satin, Linen, and Cambric Costumes,
Ready-made Dresses, Lace and Silk Fichus, Cravats, Dressing Gowns, Fine Silk
Hose, &c., &c., &c.

Ladies Elegantly Trimmed Parisian Straw Hats and Bonnets, Children's and Babies'
Hats and Caps, in Great Variety.

Gentlemen's Parisian Straw and Panama Hats, French Felt Hats, Light Summer
Tweed in Pieces for Pants, White and Coloured Linen Drill, Pieces of Touch Cord
for Vests, Canvas Shoes, Silk Umbrellas, &c., &c.

Oriza's and Penard's Perfumery in Great Variety, Elegant 3 Sides French Mirrors,
Vienna Cigar and Cigarette Cases, Visiting Card Cases, Portmonnaies, Albums,
Needle Cases, Needles, Ladies Work Boxes,
&c., &c., &c.

EÇA DA SILVA & Co.,
48, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL.
Hongkong, April 3rd, 1882. [9]

For Sale.

FOR SALE.

GENUINE PORT WINE.

M. DE SOUZA GUEDES' WELL KNOWN BRANDS,
BLACK LABEL, with 3 Grapes, per Case of
1 Dozen Quarts \$18.

BLACK LABEL, with 2 Grapes, per Case of
1 Dozen Quarts \$16.

WHITE LABEL, per Case of 1 Dozen Quarts \$13.

Apply to
F. J. V. JORGE,
at Messrs. RUSSELL & Co's.
Hongkong, 6th April, 1882. [317]

FOR SALE.

GENUINE MADEIRA WINE, 1870,
\$22 PER DOZEN.

OLD SUPERIOR PORT (BASTARDOS),
\$15 PER DOZEN.

Apply to
L. THEVENIN,
Hongkong Hotel Building.
Hongkong, 21st March, 1882. [178]

FOR SALE.

MESSRS. W. & T. LOCKETT'S Celebrated
Brands Threlfall's Export PALE ALE
and Pindler's "DUBLIN STOUT," in Pints
and Quarts.

Fine OLD PORT, in Cases of One Dozen.

Jillery Mousseaux VIN DE CHAMPAGNE,
in Cases of 2 doz. Pints and 1 doz. Quarts.

GEO. R. STEVENS & Co.
Hongkong, 14th March, 1882. [166]

FOR SALE.

G. H. MUMM & Co's CHAMPAGNE.

QUARTS \$22 per Case.

PINTS \$23 per Case.

Apply to
MELCHERS & Co.
Hongkong, 2nd March, 1882. [132]

FOR SALE CHEAP.

HACKS and CARRIAGE PONIES.

A HANDSOME BAY PONY.

BROKEN to harness; a first class lady's
Hack, and excellent Carriage Pony. Per-
fectly sound, and warranted quiet under saddle
and in harness.

A PAIR OF BAY CARRIAGE PONIES.

A GREY CANTON PONY.

SEVERAL CAPITAL HACKS; good tra-
ilers, quiet, and up to heavy weights.

Also two English made PONY CARRIAGES by
Lenny of Croydon.

For full Particulars, Apply to
F. S. G.
"Hongkong Telegraph" Office.
Hongkong, April 3rd, 1882.

Intimations.

NOTICE.

COLONEL IRE AUSTIN'S
NEW AMERICAN
RIFLE RANGE,
IS NOW OPEN AT THE UNITED CLUB, STAUNTON
STREET, OPPOSITE THE UNION CHURCH,
WHERE INSTRUCTIONS GIVEN ARE FREE OF
CHARGE.

PRIZE SHOOTING,
OPEN TO ALL AMATEUR RIFLE
SHOTS.

A SPLENDID SOLID SILVER MEDAL
Manufactured by and now on exhibition
at the store of
Mr. JOHN NOBLE, QUEEN'S ROAD,
Will be shot for, commencing on APRIL 1st,
1882, and closing on the evening of APRIL 15th.

POPULAR PRICES.
FOUR SHOTS FOR 25 CENTS.

The Gentleman making the highest score
in TEN SHOTS to take the prize.
Hongkong, 27th March, 1882. [145]

ITALIAN OPERA COMPANY.

OWING to the Company's unprecedented
success, a
SECOND SERIES
OF
SUBSCRIPTION OPERAS
has been arranged. The series will include—
"LUCREZIA BORGIA."
"SAFFO."
"IL BARBIERE DI SIVIGLIA."
"L'ELISIR D'AMORE."
"POLIUTO."
"FAUST."

The Subscription List is NOW OPEN at Messrs
KELLY & WALSH'S.
Hongkong, 28th March, 1882. [189]

NOTICE.

THE INTEREST and RESPONSIBILITY of Mr.
H. C. LUBECK in Our Firm Ceased from the
28th February last.

De SOUZA & Co.
Hongkong, 3rd April, 1882. [203]

COMPOSITORS WANTED.

WANTED, for the "HONGKONG TELE-
GRAPH" a few FIRST-CLASS COMPO-
SITORS. Competent men who have had newspaper
experience will be liberally dealt with.
Apply, personally, to the Proprietor, of the
"HONGKONG TELEGRAPH," No. 6, Peddar's Hill,
Hongkong, 31st March, 1882.

Amusements.

THE
CELEBRATED CANADIAN BLONDIN.

THE CHAMPION BICYCLE
PERFORMER
OF THE WORLD,

who for the last few years has been the dazzling
wonder of thousands of Spectators and the
Marvel of the Press.

Will have the honour of introducing to the Public
of this City an entirely new and original
PERFORMANCE.

In the large Pavilion erected at the corner of
ADERBEE STREET and HOLLYWOOD ROAD,
THIS EVENING,
THE 13TH APRIL, 1882.

SENSATIONAL AND AERIAL
PERFORMANCES.

Doors open at 8 P.M., commence at 9 o'clock.

ADMISSION.

First Class \$1.00.

Second Class 50 cents.

Third Class 30 cents.

Tickets to be obtained at Messrs. KELLY &
WALSH'S and at the Doors.

Hongkong, 6th April, 1882. [213]

THEATRE ROYAL.

CITY HALL, HONGKONG.

UNDER THE PATRONAGE
OF HIS EXCELLENCY THE ADMINISTRATOR,
AND
HIS EXCELLENCY GENERAL DONOVAN.

THE THIRD PERFORMANCE OF THE
SECOND SUBSCRIPTION SERIES
OF SIX OPERAS
WILL BE GIVEN, ON
SATURDAY EVENING,
15TH APRIL, 1882,
when will be produced
PACINI'S GRAND OPERA
"S A F F O."

DRAMATIS PERSONE.

ALCANTORO (sacerdote d'Apollo) Signor CIOCCI.

CLEMENE (sua figlia) Signora SHINI.

SAFFO Signora LUBICCI.

FAONE Signor VANZETTI.

DIRE Signora BERTOLINI.

IPPITA (prima degli Anaspici) Signor BRUNETTI.

LISIMACO Signor CORTI.

SUBSCRIPTION PRICES.

FAMILY TICKETS.—Admitting 3 Persons,
6 Nights \$30.00

SINGLE TICKET.—Admitting 1 Person, 6
Nights \$14.00

STALLS.—For 3 Persons, 6 Nights \$20.00

STALLS.—For 1 Person, 6 Nights \$10.00

PRICES OF ADMISSION:

Dress Circle \$3.00.

Stalls \$2.00.

Pit \$1.00.

Tickets may be obtained at Messrs. KELLY &
WALSH, and at the Doors on the night of the
Performance.

Doors open at 8.30 P.M., Performance to com-
mence at 9 P.M. sharp.

Ladies unaccompanied by Gentlemen cannot
be admitted.

A. HÖFLICH,
Director and Manager.
Hongkong, 10th April, 1882. [192]

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned have been instructed by
the COMMISSARY GENERAL OF ORDNANCE,
China, to sell by Public Auction, on
MONDAY,
the 17th day of April, 1882, at ELEVEN A.M.,
at Her Majesty's Ordnance Stores, Queen's
Road East—
THE FOLLOWING—

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

MACAO, 5th April, 1882.

The recent Decree empowering the Colonial Government to open a Lyceum in Macao is preceded by a report from the Minister of Marine, detailing the various *consideranda* which have influenced him to submit the project for Royal approbation. The leading idea in the report is that St. Joseph's Seminary had once seen very bright days, when under the zealous management of religious congregations; that its decay dates from their expulsion and the introduction of teachers who did not belong to religious orders; that the population of Macao is desirous of reforming the seminary by turning it into a Lyceum.

These three points are very vaguely asserted, but taken together, *ad litteram*, they seem to contradict each other in the most glaring manner. If the population of Macao owed their education to religious congregations; if that education has been damaged by their expulsion; if there is so little hope of redeeming past losses with the re-introduction of secular elements, who, according to the report—"embora tenham a sua sciencia, se a tem, não possuem o seu zelo nem a sua apudatio para a educação publica"—how are we to understand the project of creating a *Seminario-Lyceu* under the auspices of the secular clergy and lay teachers? The Lyceum ought to be under the exclusive management of a religious body, if the reasons adduced for its establishment are to be consistent. I admire religious bodies, although not promiscuously; but I am at a loss to understand the necessity of a body to remedy the educational necessities of Macao; also which particular body is the best adapted to achieve the educational redemption of this colony.

The educational reform of a community depends upon its educational necessities. The Minister of Marine may be a good judge of the actual state of Macao and the aspirations of its inhabitants; but his report partakes of the mystic nature of one of the *adus sacramentales* of Don Pedro Calderon de la Barca, rather than the production of a Minister of Education. There is not the slightest doubt that the present state of education in Macao demands reform; but it is equally certain that that reform should be measured by the real necessities and tendencies of the population. It is only by divesting public instruction of most of its scientific and superfluous pageants; it is by reducing the dead languages and transcendental philosophy to ashes and building on their ruins a real and thoroughly practical system of Professional Education, that true and tangible reform may be effected. Until this be done, the projectors and abettors of reform had better employ, or waste their surplus of zeal and patriotism in providing means for eradicating the crying evils of gambling, which are a mockery to all education and enlightenment.

THE ENGLISH MAIL.

The P. & O. Company's steamer *Gualior*, Captain De Horne, arrived in harbour this morning. The following items are taken from the *London and China Express* of the 10th ult.:

Captain C. J. Vidal has been appointed to the *Clapham*, vice Captain F. Durrant. Lord Lamington has postponed his motion, referring to the Charter granted to the British North Borneo Company, mentioned in our last for the 6th inst., to the 13th inst.

We believe that the Blue-book on the Charter granted to the British North Borneo Company is in the hands of the printers, and that it will probably be delivered to Hon. Members by the 15th inst.

The distinction of Knight Commander of the Order of St. Michael and St. George has been conferred upon Vice-Admiral the Earl of Clanwilliam, who recently commanded the Detached Squadron.

The Chinese Chargé d'Affaires called at Windsor Castle on the 3rd inst., and on behalf of the Chinese Minister expressed his great gratification at the escape of Her Majesty from assassination on the previous day.

We regret to hear that General Eda, Japanese Minister in France, who went on a visit to Madrid, as already reported, to which Court he is also accredited, has not been very well, and at the present time is indisposed at the Spanish capital.

Some merchants of Moscow have subscribed for the purchase of a bell, to be presented to the first Orthodox Church opened in Japan. It is expected that a steamer of the Russian Volunteer Fleet, leaving Odessa for the Far East, will shortly convey it out.

We are pleased to hear that permission was given by the authorities to the Chinese Engineering and Mining Company of Kai-ping to run a locomotive on the railway connecting the coal mines with the canal. This railway is six miles long. The locomotive was constructed on the premises by Chinese, under the superintendence of the engineers, and reflects great credit on all concerned.

A telegram from Sir E. Malet to Earl Granville states that the Lazaretti committee, acting under authority of the Sanitary Board, has decided on forming a temporary camp at Port said for pilots in quarantine. In case of suspicious illness of cholera the pilot camp will be transferred to Tor at Canal Company's expense. These measures will, probably, greatly relieve Canal navigation.

The *Strathmore* which arrived at New York on February 24th from Yokohama &c. reports:—February 10th, lat. 39 22, long. 47 47, passed a derelict barque, name washed away, but halting port; "Tonberg" on her stern; 11th, had a heavy gale from W, with heavy head sea; stove port lifeboat and severely injured two seamen; since had a success of strong head winds and gales.

Major-General J. R. S. Sayer, C.B., has been appointed a brigadier-general on the staff to command the troops at Hong Kong. He succeeds Major-General Sir J. C. M. Leod, K.C.B. Major-General Sayer served with the 1st Dragon Guards in the Crimean campaign and commanded the regiment in China throughout the campaign of 1860, including the action of Sihho and those of the 18th and 21st September, also the surrender of Peking (mentioned in despatches, made a C.B., and awarded a medal with two clasps).

By the last inward French mail there arrived ten Chinese students from the schools of the Foochow Arsenal as passengers. Eight of these, who already speak French, after having improved their knowledge in that language, as well as in sciences, will enter some of the Military and Engineering Schools of France. The two others, who belong to the Navigating Department, and speak English, will presently be sent to the Naval College at Gosport, with the object of entering further on the Greenwhich College, or being admitted into the British Navy, should the necessary permission be obtained from the British Government.

The *Ganges*, the latest addition to the Peninsular and Oriental fleet, has arrived in the Thames after a very satisfactory run from Bombay-Furness. The *Ganges*, which is built of steel, is of 4,200 tons gross register, and has engines indicating 5,000-horse power; she is 390 feet long, has 42 feet beam, and will carry 200 first and second-class passengers, and upwards of 3,000 tons cargo. The *Ganges* went for a trial trip on the 3rd inst. down the river, when a speed of over fifteen knots was attained. The

Intimations.

A. S. WATSON & CO.
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL
DRUGGISTS,
GENERAL CHEMISTS.

AND

Manufacturers of the following
AERATED WATERS,
viz:

SODA, TONIC, SARSAPARILLA,
AND POTASH, LEMONADE,
GINGERADE, RASPBERRYADE,
AND PHOSPHORIC CHAMPAGNE.

Deliveries in Town and Harbour from
7 A.M. to 7 P.M.

SHIPS' MEDICINE CHESTS REFITTED,
PASSENGER SHIPS SUPPLIED.

Prompt Attention given to Coast Orders.

HONGKONG DISPENSARY,
HONGKONG.

SHANGHAI PHARMACY,
SHANGHAI.

CANTON DISPENSARY,
CANTON.

THE DISPENSARY,
FOOCHOW.

NOTICES TO CORRESPONDENTS.

It is requested that all communications relating to subscriptions, advertisements, &c., be addressed to the "Manager, Hongkong Telegraph," and not to the Editor.

Letters on Editorial matters to be sent to "The Editor" and not to individual members of the staff.

Communications intended for publication must be accompanied by the name and address of the writers, not necessarily for publication; but as evidence of good faith.

Whilst the columns of the *Hongkong Telegraph* will always be open for the fair discussion by correspondents of all questions affecting public interests, it must be distinctly understood that the Editor does not in any way hold himself responsible for opinions thus expressed.

TO ADVERTISERS.

Advertisers are requested to forward all notices intended for insertion in that day's issue not later than THREE O'CLOCK, so as not to retard the early publication of the paper.

TO SUBSCRIBERS.

Arrangements have been made to publish *The Hongkong Telegraph* daily at 4 P.M. Subscribers in the central districts who do not receive their copies before FIVE O'CLOCK will be obliged by at once communicating with the Manager.

MARRIAGES.

On the 31st March, at St. George's Rectory, Glasgow, by the Rev. Alex. Henderson, P.P., and officiated by the Rev. Robert Henderson, M.A., the Rev. Wm. B. W. Henderson, M.A., and Miss Mary Henderson, daughter of George Henderson, Esq., of Glasgow, were united in Holy Matrimony.

On the 31st March, at St. George's Rectory, Glasgow, by the Rev. G. Fraser, Minister, James Murray Smith, Esq., son of Charles Fraser, Esq., of Glasgow, to Elizabeth, daughter of James Fraser, Esq., of Glasgow.

DEATHS.

On the 31st March, at Mull of Galloway, Captain George S. Brown, Agent P. & O. Company, aged 41.

On the 31st March, at his residence, 10, York Place, St. Martin's, Glasgow, Captain John Ross, aged 41 years.

On the 31st March, at St. Andrew's, Glasgow, the residence of his father, Arthur A. Watson, Esq., of Glasgow, aged 33.

The Hongkong Telegraph

HONGKONG, THURSDAY, APRIL 13, 1882.

According to the *London Echo* Mr. STANSFELD threatens to bring a very unwelcome subject before Parliament "at the earliest practicable opportunity." He finds reason to complain of "the policy and principle" of a recent despatch from Lord KIMBERLEY to the Governor of Hongkong. Since 1857 the colony has been under peculiarly strict ordinances with regard to the repression of some loathsome forms of disease. Mr. STANSFELD maintains, of course, that these ordinances are an evil in themselves; but, what is more to the point, he holds himself responsible for statements which prove that their administration had degenerated into a frightful abuse. According to an ordinance made in 1867, the police of the colony have power to break into houses which, being unlicensed, are suspected of being used for immoral purposes, and to subject the inmates to fine and imprisonment, and thenceforward to that kind of regulation which is the basis of certain Acts which are the subjects of a continuous agitation in England. It is alleged that the Chinese women have a mortal terror of medical examination; but that, in order that all suspected but unlicensed women may be fined, paid informers have gone about with marked money to get women to demoralise themselves, in order that they might inform against the house to which they were taken. This is certainly a remarkable instance of moral degradation on the part of those to whom was entrusted a painful and unpleasant duty. We are glad to be able to state, however, that the same correspondence which reveals these practices to the British public also announces their suppression. In 1877 two Chinese women were killed by falling from a roof to which they had fled when the police invaded their domicile. After this event Sir John POPE HENNESSY, the Governor of the Colony, appointed a Commission to inquire into the whole subject of the ordinances; and, without even waiting for its report, peremptorily and wisely put a stop to what he speaks of with some indignation as "the appropriation of Government money for the pay of informers who might induce Chinese women to prostitute themselves, and thus bring them under the penal clauses of the Contagious Diseases Ordinance." The gross abuse of regulations which were ostensibly made in the interests of our soldiers and sailors has called the attention of Mr. STANSFELD and his friends to the whole subject of these Hongkong Ordinances. They contend that they are offensive to the Chinese population, that they have demoralised a special department of the public service, and that they have led to the increase of a very degrading kind of slavery amongst Chinese women. This view of the case is so far supported by facts that a majority of Sir J. POPE HENNESSY's Commission pronounced strongly against the Ordinance, and were of opinion that the social evil in Hongkong should be dealt with "solely as a matter of law and order."

REUTER telegraphs that the Volunteer Review at Portsmouth was a great success. THE German gunboat *Ulla*, Commander Klaus, arrived in harbour yesterday from a cruise. WE learn by a London telegram of the 11th inst. that Mr. C. S. Parnell, M.P., has been released from Kilmainham Gaol on parole for one week, on the plea of urgent private affairs. THE *Rising Sun* and *Nagasaki Express* hears that the U.S. frigate *Richmond* is being dismantled in Kobe, preparatory to undergoing extensive renovations and repairs. WE are informed by the Agents, Messrs. Russell & Co., that the Union Line steamer *Galley of Lorne* left Singapore for this port yesterday morning. She may be expected to arrive here on or about the 18th inst. WE would direct attention to the Government notification in another column, announcing that the sale of Inland Lots, 802 and 803, advertised in the *Government Gazette* to be held at 4 p.m. this afternoon, has been postponed *sine die*. THE Huffs commenced their athletic sports on the Cricket Ground shortly after two o'clock this afternoon. There is a large attendance of spectators, and every promise of a highly successful meeting. We shall publish a detailed account in our next issue. WE observe in the French newspapers, plans and particulars of the proposed Metropolitan Railway for Paris, which will shortly be constructed after the fashion of the London underground railways, at an estimated cost of six millions sterling. The line will be lighted up by electricity. OUR morning contemporary discovered last night that the fleet of Chinese warjunks, which departed for the north yesterday, had been fitted out by the authorities for an expedition against the redoubtable pirate chief of Ningpo. These junks had been lying in the harbour for over a week and we announced the object of their mission on the 10th inst. It gives us pleasure to direct attention to our contemporary's enterprise.

WHAT are we coming to? A correspondent writing to a contemporary says that "the proportions of the crinoline are rapidly extending, and unless the fair sex can be awakened to the folly and shame of so disfiguring the graceful contour Nature bestowed on it, all the traditional horrors of the crinoline era will be revived." Terror of terrors! are lovers to have the old struggle over again when they come to a narrow stile?

A CHINA WOMAN was brought up this morning before Captain Thomsett to answer a charge of cruelty to animals yesterday. A Chinese school-boy saw her beating a dog very savagely, and told her to knock off, but she would not, and continued to beat the animal. Another Chinaman saw her tie the dog up and beat it with a bamboo. In her defence, she said the animal had killed a goose in her house, and so she beat it, but not much. Defendant was discharged.

THE outside world must entertain curious ideas in reference to journalists, if they base their ideas upon advertisements. A newspaper proprietor advertises for an active shorthand writer, who can set up type, write lively leaders, and "possess energy and go." This proprietor should not remain for any length of time unvisited. He will, doubtless, have a score of applications, but we imagine that the majority will possess that peculiarity which the advertiser describes as "go."

THE following amusing estimate of a Tory appeared in the *Times* of March 29th, 1832:—"We pity a man for being a Tory in these times. He is a poor creature that the march of events has left behind; a duck-legged drummer-boy, who cannot keep up with his regiment. He is a being of a bygone age, singing an old song, telling a forgotten tale. His mind is hung with cobwebs; he is the preterperfect tense of politics; an extract from the lumber-room where we have long since thrown our ghosts, witches, and alchemists."

REUTER wires that the Egyptian Government has refused to recognise Italian sovereignty over Assab Bay, and that the latter Power has sent a vigorous note asserting its rights. As Egypt is a dependency of Turkey, the "vigorous note" should clearly have been sent to the Porte. As the purchase of a piece of land in Assab Bay by the well known Rubattino Steamship Company a few years ago, to be used as a coaling station for their steamers, can scarcely give Italy sovereign rights, we do not consider it likely that much heed will be paid to their present claim. It would appear as if Italy, despairing of stopping the French movement in Tripoli, is trying to secure a slice of the Egyptian territory as a *quid pro quo*.

THE Spanish steamer *Pasig* was docked at sam-shui-po this morning.

A REUTER'S telegram received this morning states that Prince Leopold is convalescent.

A LONDON telegram of the 12th inst. announces that the German and Austrian press rejoice at the appointment of M. N. de Giers as Russian Minister for Foreign Affairs.

FOR stealing a piece of plate iron, the property of the Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Company, from the Dock yesterday, a coolie was sent this morning by Captain Thomsett to ten days' hard labour.

THE Charter from the supreme Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Freemasons, for United Chapter No. 1341, attached to United service Lodge, No. 1341 E. C. has, we learn, arrived by to-day's mail. We expect to hear of the Chapter being opened shortly.

A SEAMAN, a hawker, and three shop coolies were observed by District watchman No. 11, having a free fight with poles yesterday morning on Praya west. He obtained assistance and arrested the lot. The prisoners were brought up this morning before Captain Thomsett and fined 25 cents each or a day's imprisonment.

ROYAL ALLEE, a fireman of the steamship *Suez*, charged the chief officer of the ship with assault. He said the chief officer slapped his face, but this was contradicted by the second engineer. The chief officer said complainant had been insolent to him, and that he simply touched him with his hand. Captain Thomsett discharged defendant with a caution.

MRS. BARR appeared at the Police Court to-day to charge one of her chair coolies with disobedience of orders. It appears the defendant was ordered this morning to come and take away some rubbish from the room, but he failed to come, and had also disobeyed orders last night. In his defence he said he did not hear himself called. Captain Thomsett fined him five dollars or fourteen days imprisonment.

WHITE Chinese Police Constable 134 had his eagle glance fixed on a party of four Chinamen yesterday, whose movements he was carefully studying, one of them, unable, apparently, to bear the fiery gaze of the hukong, took up a stone and threw it at him. The constable thereupon arrested the stone-thrower, the latter's friends attempting to rescue him, but without success. Captain Thomsett fined the prisoner five dollars or 14 days' imprisonment.

THE remanded case in which Tan sing, boy to Mr. Liddell, the superintendent of the Kowloon Docks, is charged with stealing a lot of things, the property of his master, came on again to-day, before Mr. Wadehouse. Inspector Corcoran said he had no further evidence to produce. Defendant being duly cautioned, elected to make his defence at the Police Court, and said that the lamp wick he took on shore for his lamp and that of the four handkerchiefs only one had been identified by his master. The prisoner was committed for trial.

WHAT are the executive of the Victoria Recreation Club about? The bathing season has commenced, yet the state of the Club's Bath is simply disgraceful. The matting which keeps the Bath clear from the floating rubbish of the harbour requires immediate attention, and the whole place wants overhauling. We went to have a look the other day and were disgusted at the filthy condition of the Bath. A dead dog was floating about, and any quantity of unnameable filth from the drains. Advocates of a system of underground drains to remove the sewage of Hongkong could not do better than pay the Bath House a visit at low water.

BEFORE Captain Thomsett this morning, four lascars belonging to the steamship *Suez* were charged by the Captain with being absent from duty yesterday. The mer were a portion of those sent to fourteen days' hard labour a short time since for refusal of duty. It appears they expressed a wish while in gaol to be discharged from the ship, but when taken yesterday to the Harbour office for the purpose, they refused either to be discharged or to go on board the *Suez*. To-day, however, they said they understood when taken to the Harbour office that they were wanted to go on board, not to be discharged, and now said they wished to obtain their discharge. The defendants said they had three months' wages coming to them, but the master produced their accounts showing them, in consequence of their desertion at San Francisco, to be indebted to the ship. The Magistrate discharged them, ordered them to be taken to the Harbour office to be discharged from the ship, and told them that if they gave him any further trouble he would send them again to prison.

ACCORDING to the *L. & C. Express*:—"The *Novosti* of St. Petersburg of the 4th inst. states that the Chinese Government, following the advice of some of its European friends, has decided to build three new towns on the Russian frontier with permanent garrisons of 2,500 men each, and that the Russian Government on its part is consequently endeavouring to settle the Russo-Chinese frontier with emigrants from the interior of Russia." The *Novosti* adds that a commission has been appointed to examine the question, and that Colonel Prshevalsky, the well-known traveller in China, has been invited to take part in its deliberations. From Moscow the intelligence is published that about 100,000 Dzungarians, Taranichs, and Chinese have declared their intention of settling in Russian territory. The definitive surrender will be effected at Tashkend, Russia being represented by the Governor General of Turkestan, and China by Commissioner Erkebun. The Chinese Commissioner will subsequently leave for Peking in order to give an account of his mission to the Tsungli Yamen. The documents relating to the surrender will then be communicated to the Marquis Tseung, who will effect the final settlement of the affair.

SAYS the *L. and C. Express* of March 10th, "Telegraphic advices report that at San Francisco a monster meeting was held on the 4th instant, demanding that Congress should pass the Chinese Exclusion Bill. Similar meetings have been held elsewhere on the Pacific Coast, all political parties unite in the movement. Prominent Chinese in San Francisco have suggested by telegram to the Hongkong shippers that it would be judicious to arrest the Chinese emigration to California."

IN the House of Commons on March 9th, Mr. M'Arthur asked the Under-secretary of state for the Colonies when the papers relative to domestic slavery in Hongkong would be in the hands of members.—Mr. Courtney said he was sorry these papers had not already been distributed. They had been for some time completed, and were, he believed, in print, but a question had arisen on which it was necessary to consult the law officers of the Crown. He had just heard from the Attorney-General that their opinion might be expected immediately. As soon as it was received the papers would be distributed immediately.

ACCORDING to *Truth* of the 2nd ult., the serenity of Portsmouth Harbour was disturbed the preceding week by a serious collision between the torpedo vessel *Vesuvius* and the *Fire Queen*, the official yacht of Admiral Ryder. The former was dashed violently by the tide, which was running like a mill-race, against the port-bow of the yacht, snapping the mooring-chain, so that she was nearly dashed into the Admiralty yacht *Euchantress*, which was lying close by. The *Fire Queen* was at the moorings of the *Osborne*, and it is fortunate, at least, that the Royal yacht was not the victim, as a large sum had just been expended on her. The *Fire Queen* has gone into the dockyard for repairs.

WE have read, so often of the successful man of business who entered a town with the proverbial four shillings and sixpence in his pocket, that it is quite refreshing to find a prosperous individual who made his appearance on the spot where he accumulated his fortune without a solitary cent in his clothes. It transpires that Sir Henry Parkes, K.C.M.G., president of the Sydney Legislative Council, when he first went into Sydney was starving, but having picked up a sixpence in the street he was enabled to keep himself from poverty and amass a fortune in addition. Australian mail advices state that a dinner was given to him by various members of the Legislature. It was upon that occasion he informed his hearers he had been a poor man, and but for the fact that he had found a sixpence he would never have been Premier of the state. Let us therefore all go out and find sixpences.

THE *Army and Navy Gazette* says:—"We hear that the manner now obtaining on the Japan station of transferring the sick to Hongkong, on the approach of the cold weather does not err, in some cases, on the side of consideration; it may be economical, so far as saving passage-money goes, although the lives of the patients be risked in the process. They are, probably, fairly comfortable when taking passage in large men-of-war, but when it comes to sending invalids suffering from chest affections for passage on board a small sloop where there is only a top-gallant forecastle, with a screen for them to shelter under, and no sick bay, we think that it amounts to cruelty. We do not know who is responsible for such a state of things, but the sooner counter-orders are given the better. Our seamen's lives are valuable, not only to themselves, but to the country, and it is preposterous that the 'save-all' policy should be carried to such an extent."

POLICE SERGEANT Hanson appeared at the Police Court to-day to give evidence in the case of the desperate assault made upon him by a Chinaman, near the Peak, on the 12th March last.

The sergeant was allowed out of hospital for the purpose of giving evidence, but is not yet discharged, supposition being going on underneath the scalp of the head where he received the severe cut, which is some 4½ inches long, and reaches down to the bone. The branch with which the blow was given was produced in Court, and is sufficiently heavy in the hands of a man of the prisoner's physique to inflict a very bad, if not a fatal wound. The force of the blow given to Hanson by the prisoner, may be estimated by the fact that the branch was broken into three parts, and it was indeed very fortunate for the sergeant that he had a good thick stick wherewith to defend himself, and disable the prisoner, or, instead of an assault, we should most likely have had to chronicle a murder. The prisoner, who was committed for trial, is a most determined looking rascal, and is apparently a stronger man than Hanson, whom we heartily congratulate upon his gallant mastery of the villain, who would, there can be little doubt, have otherwise murdered him. Particulars of the case will be found in another column.

POLICE COURT.—THIS DAY.

THE ASSAULT ON POLICE SERGEANT HANSON.

THE remanded case of assault with intent to commit a felony on Police sergeant Hanson near the Peak came on again to-day before Captain Thomsett. Police sergeant Hanson deposed that about 3 p.m. on the 12th March an officer of the German gunboat *Ulla* came to No. 6 station at the Gap, of which he was in charge, and made a report to him, in consequence of which he went with the officer to be shown the place where the latter said he had been assaulted. The officer went down the road in advance, he following him in plain clothes. When they got to the two seats above the Albany, the officer led the way along the pathway by the catchwater drain to the westward. At the end-of-the-path the officer stopped, pointing to a stone which he said was the one a man had in his hand when he was on the pathway before. Both then looked round to see if any one was about, but they saw no one. The officer and he then parted as he (the sergeant) told him he could do no more for him. He then returned to the station. At about 6.15 p.m. of the same day, Constable Macaulay, who is stationed with him, returned from town. He told the Constable what had happened during his absence, and gave him the same description of the Chinaman as he had received from the German officer. The Constable said he would go

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*HER BRITANNIC MAJESTY'S SHIPS
IN THE CHINA SQUADRON.*

Thermometer, level of the sea in inches, tens and hundreds.—Thermometer, in Fahrenheit degrees and tens kept in the open air in a shaded situation.—Direction of Wind, in the open air, in the four principal directions, and in the Force of Wind, in gales, *sic* to a light breeze, *sic* to a moderate *sic* strong fresh *sic* to a storm *sic* to a heavy *sic* to a violent.—State of Weather, B. Clear blue sky, C. Cloudy, D. Drizzly, F. Fog, G. Foggy, H. Hazy, L. Light rain, M. Mist, N. Misty, O. Overcast, P. Shower, Q. Squally, R. Rainy, S. Snow, T. Thunder, U. Bad, threatening, V. Visibility, W. Storm, Z. Calm. The letters are repeated to indicate any increase over the mean average of their signification. Rain.—The hours of rain for the prevalence of each element are registered from 1 to 24, the quantity of water fallen indicated in inches, tens and hundreds.

thermometer — 1 P.M. 90
 thermometer — 4 P.M. 90
 thermometer — 9 A.M. 90
 thermometer — 3 P.M. 90
 thermometer — 4 P.M. 90
 thermometer — 9 A.M. (Wet bulb) 90
 thermometer — 3 P.M. (Wet bulb) 90
 thermometer — 4 P.M. (Wet bulb) 90
 thermometer — Maximum 90
 thermometer — Minimum (over night) 90

Macassar 30th January, Rattans.—Melchior

March 17, WAKUCHI, American bark, 80/—
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WHAMPOA.

March 24, CHARITE, French bark, 29/—
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MANILA.

Andromeda, German bark, 1870.—Captain.
Chilton, British bark, 152.—Captain.
Elizabeth, French bark, 1,083.—Captain.
F. H. Bowers, American bark, 665.—Captain.
Florence, British bark, 435.—Captain.
Golden state, American ship, 944.—Captain.
Maria Anna, German ship, 1,266.—Captain.
Mota, German ship, 1,332.—Captain.
Mikado, British bark, 643.—Captain.
Minerva, Spanish bark, 637.—Captain.
Mowhawk, German ship, 1,315.—Captain.
Myrtle Belle, American ship, 754.—Captain.
Neville, Spanish bark, 598.—Captain.
Panay, American ship, 1,190.—Captain.
Paul Jones, American ship, 985.—Captain.
Remus, British bark, 377.—Captain.
Ringleader, American ship, 1,184.—Captain.
Samar, American ship, 1,110.—Captain.
Tecumseh, American ship, 1,306.—Captain.
Wilhelm, German ship, 1,315.—Captain.
Wrecker, American schooner, 55.—Captain.

Dyed Damask shirtings, per piece	\$5.50 to
English Drills, 30 yards, per piece	\$2.55 to
English Drills, 11lbs, per piece	\$2.45 to
English Drills, 11lbs, per piece	\$2.85 to
Grey shirtings, 7lbs, per piece	\$1.55 to
Grey shirtings, 8lbs, per piece	\$1.77 to
Grey shirtings, 8 1/2lb, per piece	\$1.95 to
Grey shirtings, 9lb, per piece	\$2.65 to
Grey shirtings, 10lbs, per piece	\$2.97 to
Grey T-Cloths, 24 yds. & 30	
6lbs, per piece	\$1.80 to
Grey T-Cloths, 24 yds. & 32in. 7lbs,	
per piece	\$1.35 to
Grey T-Cloths, 24yds. 36in. 8lbs. XO	
per piece	\$1.80 to
Grey T-Cloths, 24 yds. 36 in. 8lbs.	
per piece	\$2.10 to
Grey T-Cloths, 24 yds. 36 in. 8lbs.	
per piece	\$2.45 to
Handkerchiefs, Blue, per dozen	\$0.60 to
Handkerchiefs, Blue, per dozen	\$0.55 to
Handkerchiefs, Red, per dozen	\$0.63 to
Turkey Red shirtings, 3lb, per piece	\$1.75 to

2.05	Pepper, White, per picul	\$19.40
5.65	Pepper, Black, per picul	\$13.50
2.50	Rattan, Straits, per picul	\$5.30
2.50	Rattan, Bangar, per picul	\$4.35
1.85	sandal Wood, Malabar, per pl.	\$4.80
1.63	sandal Wood, south seas, per pl.	\$11.50
2.22	sapan Wood, Manila, per picul	\$1.45
2.32	sapan Wood, siam, per picul	\$2.25
2.99	sugar, shek-lung, White, No. p. pl.	\$7.00
	sugar, shek-lung, White, No. p. pl.	\$6.15
1.70	sugar, shek-lung, Brown, No. p. pl.	\$4.95
	sugar Candy, shek-lung, per picul	\$6.20
	sugar Candy, Fong, per picul	\$6.20
	sugar Candy, swatow, White, p. pl.	\$6.75
1.85	Yamiciell, Tientsin, per picul	\$7.50
	Walnuts, per picul	\$5.25
2.15	Wheat, Tientsin, per picul	\$2.15
2.50	Wheat, Japan, per picul	\$2.15
0.62	Wood Oil, per picul	Tls. 6.20
0.64	Window Glass, per box	\$3.55

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HAVE JUST RECEIVED.

AN ASSORTMENT OF LIQUEURS,
CHARTREUSE (Pints and Quarts),
BENEDICTINE (Pints and Quarts),
MARASCHINO, CURACAO,
ANISETTE (Marie Brizard),
ANGOSTURA BITTERS,
BOKER'S BITTERS,
KIRSCHWASSER, PEPPERMINT,
VERMOUTH (Nolly Brand),
VERMOUTH (Turino).

H. FOURNIER AND COMPANY
HAVE JUST RECEIVED.

A LARGE STOCK OF FANCY SILK
UMBRELLAS.
H. FOURNIER & Co.,
Corner of D'Aguiar and Wellington-streets.

H. FOURNIER AND COMPANY
HAVE JUST RECEIVED.

A VARIETY OF OTHER GOODS.
H. FOURNIER & Co.,
Corner of D'Aguiar and Wellington-streets,
HONGKONG.

Hongkong, 22nd March, 1882.

For Sale.

H. FOURNIER & CO.

HAVE JUST RECEIVED, EX
FRENCH MAIL STEAMER.

A SPLENDID ASSORTMENT OF
FANCY GOODS.

H. FOURNIER AND COMPANY
HAVE JUST RECEIVED.

FANCY PLAYING CARDS.
CRACKERS, BONBONS (Assorted),
CHOCOLATE CREAM.

CHOCOLATE MENIER.
H. FOURNIER & Co.,
Corner of D'Aguiar and Wellington-streets.

H. FOURNIER AND COMPANY
HAVE JUST RECEIVED.

FIGS, MALAGA RAISINS,
TARE PLUMS.

FRUITS IN JUICE (Assorted),
CONFITURES DE ST. JAMES
(in Bottles and Tins).

SYRUPS (Assorted),
HUNTLEY and PALMER'S BISCUITS,
ALMONDS and NUTS.

VANILLA, PATE DE FOIE GRAS.
H. FOURNIER & Co.,
Corner of D'Aguiar and Wellington-streets.

H. FOURNIER AND COMPANY
HAVE JUST RECEIVED.

NOIX DE VEAU TRUFFEE (in Tins),
COTELETTE DE VEAU (in Tins),
VEAU ROTI, RIS DE VEAU (in Tins),
RICANDAU (Assorted), TRUFFES,
VEGETABLES (Assorted),
ANCHOVIES in Oil, CAVIAR,
SARDINES in Lemon Juice,
SARDINES in Tomatoes,
SARDINES in Oil.

H. FOURNIER & Co.,
Corner of D'Aguiar and Wellington-streets.

H. FOURNIER AND COMPANY
HAVE JUST RECEIVED.

FRENCH TORACCO AND
CIGARETTES.

ASSORTED PERFUMERY
FROM PARIS and PROVENCE.

A large quantity of
FRENCH MINERAL WATERS
In BOTTLES of 100 bottles per Case,
CORK STOPPERS
for Soda and other Bottles.

H. FOURNIER AND COMPANY
HAVE JUST RECEIVED.

AN ASSORTMENT OF CLARETS
In Bottles and Wood.

CHATEAU LAROSE
CHATEAU LAFFITTE
CHATEAU MARGAUX
ST. EMILION MEDOC.
H. FOURNIER & Co.,
Corner of D'Aguiar and Wellington-streets.

H. FOURNIER AND COMPANY
HAVE JUST RECEIVED.

AN ASSORTMENT OF WINES.
SAUTERNE, PORTO, SHERRY,
MARSALA.

H. FOURNIER & Co.,
Corner of D'Aguiar and Wellington-streets.

H. FOURNIER AND COMPANY
HAVE JUST RECEIVED.

A SHIPMENT OF BRANDY.
FRENCH COGNAC and ABSINTHE.
H. FOURNIER & Co.,
Corner of D'Aguiar and Wellington-streets.

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HONGKONG.

Hongkong, 22nd March, 1882.

Intimations.

KELLY & WALSH'S LIST OF NEW MUSIC.

NEW DANCE MUSIC.

A-Ton Bras Polka.....T. Rieffer.
Light of Love Waltz.....A. G. Crowe.
Scotch Beauties Waltz.....A. G. Crowe.
Princess Toto Galop.....R. Hergen.
Princess Toto Waltz.....R. Hergen.
Princess Toto Quadrille.....Chas. Godfrey.
Day and Night Quadrilles.....W. Williams.
Boone Chance Polka.....C. Godfrey.

COMIC SONGS.

Blow me up an apple tree.....T. W. Barrett.
We are a merry family.....T. W. Barrett.
Oh Lor, Oh Dear.....E. Foreman.

NEW SONGS.

London Bridge.....Molloy.
The Curlew Bell.....Allis Gower.
Told in the Twilight.....J. L. Molloy.
The Birds and the Cross.....J. L. Molloy.
Shades of the Past.....J. L. Molloy.
Over the Garden Wall.....G. D. Fox.

SALE OF CLOTHES SHOWROOMS.

SAYLE & CO.

ARE NOW SHOWING NEW SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS.

A splendid assortment of French and English
Kempson Prints and Satenes.

New Patterns in French Percalines.
Specialities in Damasses and Black Grenadines.

Nun's Belges and Veilings.
Silk Lisle Thread, & Cotton Hosiery in all sizes.
Irish Linens and Diapers.
New Millinery.

A choice selection of Flowers.
Sewing Machine by the leading manufacturers.

N.B.—A few REMNANTS and TOYS left over from the Sale still on offer at greatly
REDUCED PRICES.

VICTORIA EXCHANGE, HONGKONG.

ECA DA SILVA & CO.

HAVE JUST RECEIVED, EX
FRENCH MAIL STEAMER "SABRIEN."

A GREAT VARIETY AND FINE ASSORTMENT OF SUMMER GOODS,
COMPRISING:

Ladies Richly Trimmed Pongee, Silk Costumes, Satin, Linen, and Cambric Costumes,
Ready-made Dresses, Lace and Silk Fichus, Cravats, Dressing Gowns, Fine Silk
Hosiery, &c., &c., &c.

Ladies Elegantly Trimmed Parisian Straw Hats and Bonnets, Children's and Babies'
Hats and Caps, in Great Variety.

Gentlemen's Parisian Straw and Panama Hats, French Velt Hats, Light Summer
Tweed in Pieces for Pants, White and Coloured Linen Drill, Pieces of Touch Cord
for Vests, Canvas Shoes, Silk Umbrellas, &c., &c.

Oriza's and Penaud's Perfumery in Great Variety, Elegant; Silks French Mirrors,
Vienna Cigar and Cigarette Cases, Visiting Card Cases, Portmanteaux, Albums,
Needle Cases, Needles, Ladies Work Boxes,
&c., &c., &c.

ECA DA SILVA & Co.,
No. 6, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL.
Hongkong, April 3rd, 1882.

Intimations.

TENDERS will be RECEIVED at this Office
up to Noon of SATURDAY 15th April,
for SUPPLYING and FIXING HARD-WOOD
JALOUSIES in Twelve VERANDAH ARCHES of
the ROYAL NAVAL HOSPITAL, MOUNT SHAD-
WELL, according to specifications, Drawing and
Conditions, to be seen on application to the
Undersigned.

The right to reject the lowest or any Tender is
reserved.

E. D. JOEY,
Naval Storekeeper.

H.M. Naval Yard,
Hongkong, 10th April, 1882.

D. K. GRIFFITH.

MANUFACTURER OF THE LONDON
AERATED WATERS.

7, BEACONSFIELD ARCADE,
(Opposite the City Hall)

Having lately purchased the entire Machinery
of the late Mr. E. C. CROFTS,

SODA WATER FACTORY
I am now prepared to execute the largest orders
for every description of Aerated Waters with
promptness and despatch.

THE SUPERIOR QUALITY OF ALL
AERATED WATERS
IS GUARANTEED.

Consumers should try these carefully
Manufactured.

SPARKLING WATERS.

THREE DOZEN FOR ONE DOLLAR.

All Orders and Communications should be ad-
dressed to THE BEACONSFIELD ARCADE.

Hongkong, 11th April, 1882.

E. CASSUMBOY.

FURNITURE WAREHOUSE,
Nos. 9, 11, 12, 13, and 14,
BEACONSFIELD ARCADE,
Opposite the City Hall.

Houses or Rooms FURNISHED THROUGHOUT
ON THE SHORTEST NOTICE.

FURNITURE, PIANOS, &c.,
FOR SALE OR HIRE.

A GOOD SELECTION OF BOOKS,
some Choice Original Oil Paintings and Water-
Colours, Chromes, Engravings, &c.

A FEW PIECES OF OLD PORCELAIN AND OTHER
WARE.

CHINESE AND JAPANESE CURIOS.

Hongkong, 14th March, 1882.

NOTICE.

BOOKBINDING and RULING in ALL ITS
BRANCHES EXECUTED AT VERY LOW
RATES AT THE

"HONGKONG TELEGRAPH" OFFICE.

Account Books ruled to any pattern.
Music bound in Elegant style with Best
Materials.

"TELEGRAPH" OFFICE, HONGKONG.

Intimations.

NOTICE.

**COLONEL IRE AUSTIN'S
NEW AMERICAN
RIFLE RANGE.**

IS NOW OPEN AT THE UNITED CLUB, STAM-
PUN STREET, OPPOSITE THE UNION CHURCH,
WHERE INSTRUCTIONS GIVEN ARE FREE OF
CHARGE.

PRIZE SHOOTING.

OPEN TO ALL AMATEUR RIFLE
SHOTS.

A SPLENDID SILVER MEDAL

Manufactured by and now on exhibition
the store of

MR. JOHN NBLE, QUEEN'S ROAD.

Will be shot for, commencing on APRIL 1st,
1882, and closing on the evening of APRIL 15th.

POPULAR PRICES.

FOUR SHOTS FOR 25 CENTS.

The Gentleman taking the highest score
in TEN SHOTS to keep the prize.

Hongkong, 27th May, 1882.

ITALIAN CRA COMPANY.

OWING to the Company's unprecedented
success in the sale of their

SECOND SERIES

SUBSCRIPTION OPERAS

has been arranged. The prices will include—

"LUCREZIA BORGIA,"

"SAFFO,"

"LE BARBIERE DI S. PAOLO,"

"L'ELISIR D'AMORE,"

"POLIUTO,"

"FAUST."

The Subscription List is NOW OPEN at Messrs.

KELLY & WALSH'S.

Hongkong, 28th March, 1882.

NOTICE.

THE INTEREST AND RESPONSE OF MR.

H. C. LUBBECK in Our First

of the 28th February last.

DE SOUZA, Co.,

Hongkong, 3rd April, 1882.

COMPOSITORS WANTED.

WANTED, for the "HONGKONG
GRAPH" a few FIRST-CLASS
Compositors men who have had ex-
perience in all the branches of the
business, personally, to the Proprietor,
"HONGKONG TELEGRAPH," No. 6, Pedder
Street, Hongkong, 31st March, 1882.

Amusements.

THE
CELEBRATED CANADIAN BLONDIN.

**THE CHAMPION BICYCLE
PERFORMER
OF THE WORLD,**

who for the last few years has been the darling
wonder of thousands of Spectators and the
Marvel of the Press.

Will have the honour of introducing to the Public
of this City an entirely new and original
PERFORMANCE.

In the large Pavilion erected at the corner of
ABERDEEN STREET and HOLLYWOOD ROAD,
THIS EVENING.

"THE 13TH APRIL, 1882."

